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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Hans Gauger
Serial No. : 10/584,873
Filing Date : July 25, 2007
For : DEVICE FOR HOLDING AT LEAST
TWO OBLONG ARTICLES
Group Art Unit : 3632
Examiner : Amy Jo Sterling
Attorney Docket No. : 17-054P/US - 5201

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Commissioner for Patents
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified application and in response to the
Advisory Action dated November 10, 2008 and the Office Action dated July 15, 2008,
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.